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## NEWS IN THE VICINAGE.

Richmond is threatened with a coal famine. Zena Cobb was almost disemboweled by R. A. Harris in a fight in Madison county. The Danville bar gave Judge W. Brown a high certificate of good character and fine judgment. The sheriffs of Casey, Knox, Pulaski and Whitley are among the six who were not settled with the auditor. Ingram, Bell county, Will Green Dunmore Hill to death in a fight which grew out of a dispute over 10 cents. The Burnside Supply Company's general store at Burnside was totally destroyed by fire. Loss about \$10,000, insured.

Capt. E. S. Helburn, of Middlesboro, who was a major in the 2d regiment, as been commissioned captain of Co. of the 4th, vice Capt. Tyree Coleman.

Emelia Elliott, colored, is in jail in London awaiting trial for causing the infant's death by hiding it near East Bernstadt. She says she did it to hide her shame.

Mrs. Mary Carpenter, aged 80 years, wife of George Carpenter, and mother of Postmaster J. A. Carpenter, died of a paralytic stroke at Perryville. She had been married 65 years and was a most estimable woman.

John R. Nichols, aged 76, died suddenly at Danville. He leaves a widow who was his second wife, and a number of children, among them Walter B. Nichols, of the Lexington Leader, and J. R. Nichols, of the Danville steam laundry.

By the death of a bachelor uncle, Mrs. Henry Cartwright, of this city, wife of the well-known printer, falls heir to something like \$15,000. Mrs. Cartwright was formerly the widow of E. A. Pascoe, of Lancaster.—Lexington Leader.

W. R. Grant, William Miller and J. N. Goff, confined in jail at London for selling whisky illegally, state in a card in the Echo that they have undergone a change and from now hence will use their efforts to suppress the liquor traffic.

Emily Bradley died in Knox county from a pistol shot wound inflicted by her lover, Andy Coburn, a saloonkeeper. At her request Coburn was released from custody. Putting the pistol in the saloon, he set fire to the place, burning all together.

The old system of working roads in Madison county has been done away with by the fiscal court and the militia system will be used. This will be a saving to the county of \$10,000 a year and that amount of money will be used in building new turnpikes.

The jury in the Jesse Fields murder case at Harboursville, failed to agree, standing for conviction and six to acquittal. To convict his accomplice, Joseph Adkins, for the murder of Judge Combs and try Fields, the Commonwealth is out \$50,000.

The editor of the London Echo thinks everybody should take his paper because he is on friendly terms with Senator Deboe, who is going to send out some seeds according to his dictation. He also adds that he is in position many times to confer favors on his patrons.

## DON VICTOR BALLOU.

LIED UPON BY A SOLDIER.

(TO THE EDITOR OF THE INTERIOR JOURNAL.) CAMP SHIPP, Dec. 31.—D. V. Ballou, Co. M., this regiment, received a letter from his father of Stanford, Ky., stating that the report had been started that he was on his way to the mountains of Kentucky to arrest a deserter, that Victor Ballou had been tried by a general court martial and fined \$50 and given a sentence of 50 days in the guard-house. At his request I will say for the benefit of his family and friends that he is in the land who is not afraid to go to the front and suffering. The proprietor, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away ten million trial bottles of this medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of helpless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Consumption and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are cured by it. Call on Penny, Druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

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## LANCASTER.

R. L. Elkin will show some of his fine Minorca fowls at the Louisville fowl exhibition on Jan. 16th.

The views of Hon. W. J. Bryan in opposing expansion coincide so fully with those expressed by me some time ago, that I fear he is guilty of plagiarism.

Lieut. John M. Farrar went to Knoxville on business Friday night and returned Saturday night. Misses Annie Herring and Julia Gaines have returned to Georgetown College.

The regular meeting night of the K. P. lodge has been changed from Thursday to Friday night. On next Thursday night after the officers are publicly installed at the court-house a banquet will be given at the Simpson House, which promises to be a very pleasant event.

The Masons elected the following officers: Capt. Louis Landram, Master; J. Joseph, Senior Warden; J. S. Haselden, Junior Warden; T. J. Hatcher, Senior Deacon; Robert Whittaker, Junior Deacon; R. Kinnaird, Secretary; David Ross, Treasurer, and M. E. Prewitt, S. & T.

About 25 couples of our belles and beaux left today, Monday, on a special coach on the L. & N., to have a hop at Crab Orchard tonight. They were chaperoned by Messrs. and Mesdames Louis Landram, Howard Rice, J. E. Stormes, R. Kinnaird and S. C. Denny. It will be the most brilliant event of the season and they will have a royal time. Saxton's band will furnish the music.

J. O. Thompson is preparing a plan of the Y. M. C. A. Hall, to be submitted to a contractor. It is claimed that funds will be subscribed at once to build it. About 30 young men met in the Masonic Hall on Friday night and organized. G. B. Swinebroad was temporary chairman and Capt. Louis Landram secretary. The permanent organization consists of—Rev. H. N. Faulconer, president; Prof. Postle, vice president; J. E. Stormes, secretary, and W. H. Kinnaird, treasurer. Horace Herndon and Randolph Harris were appointed to select a place to meet regularly, and the Odd Fellows have kindly offered their hall, free of charge. Much good will come of this and Rev. Faulconer deserves much praise for putting it on foot.

The debut of the new year opens a vast field for thought. The tears of the old are wiped away and the sighs are hushed, only to give room for more, as sorrow and grief follow quickly on the trail of joy and happiness. I notice that men have their counterpart in the lower animals. Some correspond with the game fishes, while others are like the sucker, the latter class being largely in the majority. Others are like the frugal squirrel, which stores away its food for winter, while there are a great many—of which I am, who are like the grass-hopper, devouring everything in sight during summer and suffering for food as winter approaches. Too many are like this class and the incoming generation is worse than the one which is passing away.

Lancaster is on the eve of enjoying an era of improvement, which her wealth, culture and resources so richly merit. Several new residences have just been completed, the Y. M. C. A. Hall is sure to be built and a new hotel, opera house and two store-rooms will be erected at a cost of \$16,000, which will be one of the most commodious and imposing structures in Central Kentucky. Our capitalists held a meeting Friday afternoon and agreed on a plan which insures the building. The corporation will operate under the name, "Hotel Garrard." Mr. J. E. Stormes was elected president, Capt. Wm. Herndon secretary and Squire W. H. Kinnaird treasurer.

This resolution adopted by a New York camp, expresses the feelings of every worthy Confederate veteran:

"Resolved, That the Confederate Veteran Camp of New York condemns in unmeasured terms the efforts of Senator Butler, of North Carolina, (who is not a Confederate veteran,) to debauch the manhood of the South, by seeking to obtain pensions for ex-Confederate soldiers from the United States, and that any similar effort by any Southern member of Congress will be abhorrent to the camp and meet with unqualified condemnation."

## RED HOT FROM THE GUN

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible lacerations, but no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Bells, Felons, Corns, Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. 25c. a box. Guaranteed. Sold by Penny, the Druggist.

The importation of coffee last was over 800,000,000 pounds, or about 11 pounds per capita.

## WORKING NIGHT AND DAY

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globe of health, that changes weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They are wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c. per box. Sold by Penny, the Druggist.

## MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

At Benton, Nathan Ford, 70, and Miss Margaret Evitts, 29, were married. Laurel's County Clerk issued 15 marriage licenses the first five days of Christmas.

At Rockport, Ill., John Wiley, aged 17, and Miss Lula Moore, 14, were united in marriage.

At Forley, Kansas, Thomas Green shot and killed his wife and himself. Both had filed petitions for divorce.

George M. Rawlins and Miss Nora Killebrew were married in a buggy in the middle of the street at Clarksville, Tenn.

Miss Alma, daughter of W. H. Parks, of Perryville, and Prof. J. L. Brady were married by Dr. Green, of Danville.

At Clare, Iowa, a young man murdered his sweetheart and then committed suicide, because she spurned his attentions.

A Jersey City man committed suicide after shooting his wife and step-daughter, the former being seriously wounded.

Robert Hansford, of Cleveland, Ohio, awoke to find his wife dead by his side. The shock was so great that his doctors say he can not recover.

Triplets were born to the wife of Edward Lurker at Evansville. Their aggregate weight is 24 pounds. A year ago twins were born to the same couple.

Because his wife adopted the Mormon faith, Rev. George Hardiman, a Methodist preacher of Lewis county, threatens to sue a disciple of Brigham Young for alienating her affections.

Mrs. Seville Pickands will soon marry J. C. Morse, of Chicago, former president of the Illinois Steel Company. She is a sister of Senator Hanna and worth \$6,000,000. He is a partner of the Senator and owns \$10,000,000.

## AFTER

Christmas over  
Money spent,  
Time to figure  
And repent.  
Things expected,  
Didn't get;  
Sighing futile  
Vain regret.  
Start in bravely,  
Economize;  
Save your money.  
How time flies.  
Another Christmas  
Soon be here;  
Old friends fostered  
Grow more dear.  
New ones added  
To your list,  
Must be nurtured,  
Can't resist.  
Thus, the endless  
Chain begins.  
His links increase  
One by one,  
Sad the story  
To relate:  
Your shrunken purse  
Can never inflate.

"The Orphan Brigade."—A new book, over 700 pages, handsomely bound, has just been issued under the above title, Capt. E. Porter Thompson, author. It embraces the names of 5,500 Kentuckians—"the sons of farmers"—as has been said of them—"the very flower of chivalry; of unmixt Anglo-Saxon blood, whose ancestors for five generations had made the name of Virginia and Kentucky historic."

Mr. J. H. Miller writes from Moultrie, Ga.: Tell my friends that I have been taken here for Gen. Wade Hampton, of South Carolina; Gov. D. B. Hill, of New York, and Gen. Miles, of the U. S. army, but my extreme modesty and boyish timidity will not allow the ladies to take me for Hobson. No siree.

Judge Barr holds that under the general practice banks should only be assessed at 70 per cent. of their real valuation, and that shares of stock represented by United States bonds are subject to the tax.

TRUE.—"A man, young or old, with a pistol in his hip pocket, has already advertised the fact that he is anxious to murder somebody, and the law should deal with him accordingly."—Atlanta Constitution.

Madisonville presents an enviable record for 1898, not a fight, murder or other crime having been committed in the town during the year.

James Hopper, of Lebanon, O., is 50 years old and was never known to speak to a woman except his mother.

## BRAVE MEN FALL

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, headache, nervousness, heartache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Madison, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and doesn't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50c. at Penny's Drug Store. Every bottle guaranteed.

There were 32 homicides in Cincinnati last year and 732 other persons died unnatural deaths.

## COUGHED 25 YEARS.

I suffered 25 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with doctors and for medicine to no avail until I used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. This remedy makes weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. B. Rosell, Grantsburg, Ill.

## DANVILLE.

The recent warm weather developed many cases of grippe in this community. In some instances almost the entire family are confined to their beds with this terrible disease.

Mrs. W. C. Roberts joined Dr. Roberts in Chicago this week. While in Kansas City last week Mr. James B. Welch gave a reception in his honor, to which many former graduates of Centre College, now citizens of Kansas City, were invited. Dr. Roberts is traveling in the interest of the college.

The new presiding elder, F. S. Politt, conducted the services at the Methodist church Saturday and Sunday. Rev. Alex Irvine, of Bedford, Ind., who married Miss Craig, of Danville, occupied the pulpit of the 2nd Presbyterian church Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Irvine and children are the guests of Mr. John Craig. A Union Christian Endeavor meeting was held at the Christian church Sunday evening.

Miss Leila McKee, of Oxford, O., has returned home, after spending the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. J. L. McKee. Miss Lettie Green is the guest of Mrs. E. W. Murphy in Louisville. Mr. H. C. Bright and family have moved from West Main to the residence of Mrs. Davis in the Otter addition. Mr. Andrew Whitley has returned from the Garth-Carrick wedding at Georgetown.

Miss Mattie Bell, of Harrodsburg, visited her brother, Mr. Fisher Bell. Mr. Archie Dunlap has returned from Lebanon. Mr. Robert Kinnaird, of Louisville, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Kinnaird. Prof. and Mrs. Day entertained a few friends at dinner Thursday. They occupy the new residence built for them by the D. & D. Mr. and Mrs. John Baughman are the guests of her uncle, Mr. Alex Gibbs, of Garrard. Mr. Hughes and daughter gave a church party in honor of Miss Rogers. Mr. Alex Sharp, an old Centre boy, but now of McCormick Seminary, Chicago, is visiting in Danville. Gov. J. Proctor Knott was called to Lebanon by the illness of his brother, Mr. W. L. Knott. Mr. Lee Irvine is very ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Will Givens.

The Somerset Paragon does not care for small matters. It says: We note that Wm. Cooper has advertised the presses, types and so forth, of this office, for sale for taxes. As we know that Hansford & Co. do not owe Mr. Cooper any taxes we are resting very well. The president of the old Paragon Printing Co. says that it may owe some taxes, but be that as it may, such a thing does not concern us nor the material of this office.

The last instance of boiling to death took place in Persia in 1890. The offender, who was guilty of stealing State revenues, was put in a large cauldron of cold water, which was slowly heated to the boiling point. His bones were distributed, as a warning, among the provincial tax collectors.

At one party in Louisville were gathered Misses Sunshine Parsons, Starrie Meade, Goldie Robinson and Sundie Sanderson. If these young ladies are as pretty as their names, they are real peaches.

The comptroller has been advised that the First National Bank of Pineville went into voluntary liquidation by resolution of its stockholders, which took effect December 30.

A woman at Lopez, Mexico, has the longest hair in the world. Her height is five feet, and when she stands erect her hair trails on the ground 4 feet 8 inches.

Chemists have extracted from coal tar 16 shades of blue, 16 of yellow, 12 of orange, nine of violet, besides shades of other colors too numerous to mention.

GEN. WHIGLER. Is the forerunner to consumption. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will cure it and give such strength to the lungs that a cough or a cold will not settle there. Twenty five cents at Penny's Drug Store.

Gen. Whigler was asked the other day by a very young lady of Washington: "How is it that you never wear any medals? You surely have some." "No," answered the soldier, "I have not. I am no bicyclist, and I never made a century run in my life."

The steamer China, just arrived from the Orient, carried the largest consignment of opium ever entered in San Francisco. The total weight of the opium is 27,000 pounds, and the duty on it amounts to \$162,260.

When you cannot sleep for coughing take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It always gives prompt relief. It is most excellent for colds, too, as it aids expectoration, relieves the lungs and prevents any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by Craig & Hoeker, Druggists.

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## 1899.

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## After The Christmas Holidays

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# THE INTERIOR JOURNAL

STANFORD, KY., - JAN. 3, 1899

W. P. WALTON.

THE Louisville Post says the difference between it and the INTERIOR JOURNAL is that it came out in the open and opposed Hardin, while we gave him a half-hearted support, simply to keep the paper's record straight without aiding the candidate. The Post draws on its imagination for its facts and seeks to make a point at the expense of truth. While it was working the idiotic trick of printing the ticket apophorously, this paper was whooping up the boys in the trenches, feeling that no greater calamity could befall the State than the result the Post was trying to encompass, that of turning it over to the republicans, by joining in their cry that there was something rotten at Frankfort. Our files show how we stood during the canvass and our readers one and all can step up and remark: "Lord Richard thou has lied," while we will content ourselves by simply saying, Avant thou infamous prevaricator. Than a real and simple democrat, like we are, Editor Knott says he prefers to be a dog and as there seems to be no objection from any quarter, he can continue to have his choice and be the yellowest kind of a yellow canine, now and always world without end.

In a four column and over editorial, set double column and double leaded, Mr. Watterson discusses the democratic party's past and foretells disastrous failure unless its leaders have horse sense and meet the republicans led with McKinley and Wheeler by nominating George Dewey for president and Fitzhugh Lee for vice president on the platform: "The stars and the stripes, God bless them." This sounds a little visionary and doubtless is not meant in sober earnestness, but the fact remains that the democrats will have to strike a master stroke to beat McKinley in 1900. He will be the republican nominee as sure as the convention will meet that year and unless he make very many mistakes and fails to steer clear of the breakers that now appear in the distance, he will as surely be elected. No one deprecates the prospect more than we, and no one is more anxious to see the calamity averted than we are. The democrats must get together on some common ground and avert the threatened disaster of their hopes or we shall have four more years of McKinley. May the Lord direct us and lead us out of the wilderness to full and lasting victory.

THE grand jury at Louisville roasted the board of safety for preventing the chief of police from obeying the law with reference to gamblers and calls on the members to resign so that men can be appointed who will respect their oaths. The mayor also catches it in the neck, while Judge Barker, Chief Magistrate and the Commonwealth's attorney are praised for their efforts to execute the laws. There seems to be something very rotten in Denmark or the 12 men could not have been induced to wish such a keen rapier.

It would seem to cap the climax of irony for a company to turn to Kentucky to manufacture horseless carriages where people grow hardly anything but horses, yet such a scheme is on foot. A Chicago syndicate with a capital of \$50,000,000 will, it is said, erect a manufactory at Newport for the construction of self propelling vehicles.

WITHOUT a hitch in the program, the red and yellow flag of Spain, which had floated for 40 years, was removed from the Western Hemisphere Sunday, when the stars and stripes went up at Havana and over all its grim fortresses. Truly 1898 was a glorious year in history and 1899 opens most auspiciously for greater results.

WALTER EVANS has served notice of contest on Oscar Turner for his seat in Congress from the Louisville district for the double reason of showing up republican treachery towards him and getting the \$2,000 or \$3,000 allowed contestants. He has no hope of winning.

PULMONARY diseases continue to do their deadly work at Louisville. Of the 361 deaths there in December pneumonia caused 59 and consumption 42. The Falls City atmosphere seems to be peculiarly provocative of the dread diseases.

THE Courier-Journal called a man a jail bird and got a suit on its hands for \$20,000 damages. It will be pretty tough on the fellow if the allegation proves its allegation, as it doubtless will.

THE Americans drink less than any nation, while the Bavarians drink more. The W. C. T. U. and other temperance people are responsible for us being the soberest set under the sun.

THE London Echo commiserates ex-Senator Ed Parker for argument at arms of the National House and there are many besides his republican friends, who would like to see him get it.

## POLITICAL POINTS.

Dingley, of tariff fame, is down with the pneumonia. Ambassador Romero, of Mexico, died at Washington, aged 62. J. W. Catron has announced for the Legislature in Wayne and Clinton. Senator Mantle, of Montana, says that Bryan will be the man and free silver the issue in 1900.

The receipts of the government for the half year ending Saturday were \$265,965,890, the greatest since 1866. The Harrodsburg Democrat announces J. Morgan Chinn, by authority, as a candidate for re-election to the Legislature.

McKinley has decreed that gold shall be the monetary standard of Cuba as long as the island remains under the control of the United States.

An official of the administration at Washington has called upon Confederate organizations for a list of Confederate cemeteries and the number of interments.

Plans were presented the other day to Congress for a marble palace to supplant the white house. It is proposed to make it the most beautiful building in the world.

In his notice of contest to Judge Boreling, John D. White charges fraud, "unlawful use of money, beer and brandy," and almost every other irregularity applicable to elections.

Sewall, son of the democratic candidate for vice president, wants to be governor of Hawaii. His chief claim to recognition is that he supported McKinley and Hobart, as against his own father.

The Legislative primary will be held in Mercer, Feb. 25. All legal voters, who have heretofore affiliated with the democratic party and recognize the obligation to support the nominee, will be eligible to vote.

A new feature in the singular election contest which Col. Walter Evans proposes to wage against Congressman-elect Oscar Turner, is the discovery that a detective has been imported from Pennsylvania to work up alleged election frauds. It is claimed that information which this detective has succeeded in obtaining is, in fact, detrimental to Col. Evans' side.—Louisville Dispatch.

Senator John W. Daniel, of Virginia, has gone to Cuba, where he will spend a short time in order to obtain personal information concerning the Antilles, with a view of using the information in a speech which he is to make in the Senate. He is opposed to expansion, and it is understood he will make the effort of his life in the Senate, in opposing the proposition when it comes up.

## BRIEF NEWS NOTATION.

The broom trust has put up prices 45c a dozen.

A. A. Williams, aged 91, fell dead at Powell's Valley, Tenn.

Three toll-gates were chopped down in Pendleton by raiders.

A company has been incorporated at Louisville to make dominoes.

Mrs. Jane Reed, wife of ex-Mayor Reed, died in Louisville, aged 81.

The Wells-Fargo Express Co. was robbed of \$60,000 at San Antonio, Tex. There was only built in Kentucky this year four-tenths of a mile of railroad.

Fire destroyed a furniture store and a grocery at Mayfield, causing a loss of \$18,000.

A drunken molder at Cincinnati crushed his little son's skull with a hammer.

The court of appeals, federal, circuit and county courts began business at Frankfort yesterday.

Six men were precipitated down a 500-foot mine shaft at Ishpeming, Mich., and instantly killed.

The thermometer registered 35 below at Ironwood, Mich., Saturday—the lowest ever seen there.

H. F. Baily, cashier of a Nashua, N. H., bank, has been arrested charged with embezzling \$60,000.

Last year there were turned out from American workshops 1,875 railway locomotives and 105,158 cars.

The jail at Summitville, Ind., and its only inmate, a man put in that night for drunkenness, were burned.

Scott county's \$46,000 worth of 4 per cent. bonds, running on an average of nine years, sold at a premium of \$1,324.80.

The temperature dropped to 34 degrees below zero at West Superior, Wis., the lowest of the season at that point.

Thomas Powell, of Orlando, Fla., seriously cut his sister because she went to the theatre with a fellow he did not like.

A writing paper trust is being formed. A newspaper trust has been having things its own way for several months.

A fire, supposed to have been of incendiary origin, destroyed a stable at Paducah and 15 horses and mules were burned.

The total receipts of gold at the Denver branch mint in 1898 were \$20,195,995, a gain of \$7,822,544 over the receipts in 1897.

The cologne of the San Francisco mint for December is the largest ever recorded for a single month, amounting to \$10,062,000.

Confederate Veterans of New York adopted resolutions denouncing the ef-

forts of Senator Butler to have their comrades pensioned.

Mrs. Oscar Toller, deserted by her worthless husband and spurned by relatives, committed suicide in Logan county by taking poison.

Dr. E. E. Gray, who deserted his wife for Lizzie Skinner, cut her throat at Bedford, Ind., and had to be spirited off to prevent his being lynched.

The Third Kentucky has been assigned to Matanzas, Cuba and will start at once. Matanzas is considered the healthiest city on the island.

Boys fond of a joke stuffed up the chimney of Carl Kindler's blacksmith shop at Riverhead, L. I., and the old man was choked to death by coal gas.

Dominique Krathofski was hanged at Springfield, Mass., for the murder of his stepdaughter, Victoria Pinkus, 16 years of age, whom he had debauched.

Frank Jay Gould, youngest son of Jay Gould, paid \$30,000 for a seat on the New York Stock Exchange, the highest sum ever paid for such a privilege.

Barkeeper Pud Terrill killed Wayne Smith at Owensboro. The latter was advancing on him and he struck him on the head with a stick, killing him instantly.

Maj. Gen. Otis has been selected for military governor of the Philippines and Maj. Gen. Lawton will succeed him as commander of the military forces in the islands.

Every sheriff of the 119 in Kentucky has settled with the auditor, the total amount paid in being \$2,903,028.28, of which Jefferson county contributed over half a million.

Joseph Vacher, the French "Jack the Ripper," was guillotined at Bourgh-on-Bresse. He murdered peasant girls for fun and is said to have killed and cut open 25 or 30 of them.

The jailer's report of Fayette county shows that during the year just closed there were 487 prisoners in the Lexington jail. Nineteen of them were charged with murder.

The quartermaster's department of the army is preparing to bring back the bodies of all American officers and soldiers buried in Cuba, Porto Rico, the Sandwich and Philippine Islands.

The 3 per cent. bonds of the United States government, due in 1908, are selling at 107½, and the demand is so much greater than the supply, that it is believed they will soon be quoted at 110.

Two Negroes broke into Gen. Basil Duke's house at Louisville and when he grappled with one the other covered him with a pistol, making him desist, when they got off with about \$50 worth of booty.

The Chief Eunuch of the Sultan of Turkey was either poisoned or bowstrangled. He left jewels and plates worth \$160,000, besides \$200,000 in money, all of which passes under an old law into the sultan's treasure box.

Sam Jones, the evangelist, entertained representatives of nearly every railroad in Georgia at a dinner at his home in Cartersville, Ga. Among his guests were Messrs. Milton H. Smith, S. R. Knott, J. G. Metcalf and C. P. Atmore.

A monument was unveiled at New Orleans last week of John McDonogh, the millionaire philanthropist, who left his great fortune for the building of schools in Baltimore and New Orleans. Some 40 splendid school buildings have been erected in New Orleans. Julia Pepper, aged 17 years, daughter of Mr. Pepper, superintendent of the cotton mills at Maysville, is locked up in the Cincinnati House of Detention for running away from home and refusing to return. The girl claims she can not get along with her step-mother.

The Kitzmiller Couch building on East Main street, Lexington, burned causing a loss of about \$25,000 to Joseph Clark, owner of the building; L. H. Ramsey & Co., sign writers, F. P. Taylor, wall paper dealer and funeral director, and E. B. Allender, furniture dealer, who were the occupants. There was \$20,000 insurance on the building and contents.

## LAND AND STOCK.

Of the 1,200 mules sent to Cuba only 28 have died. Dr. Baucher won \$10,000 with Miss Logan last year.

Phoebe Wilkes, 2:04½, is heavy with foal by Baron Wilkes.

Several sales of fat cattle were made in Clark county at 4½c.

The Jessamine Journal reports sales of 250 bushels of corn at \$1.50.

R. W. Stigall sold to Cobb & Lillard eight heifers at 3½c and two at 3c.

The U. S. uses 200,000,000 pounds of tobacco a year or 43 ounces per capita. C. W. C. Whitney has bought him a pair of high-stepping trotters for \$7,500.

NICE smooth yoke of young 1,150 pound cattle for sale. E. K. Wearon & Son.

Mariti won the New Year's Handicap at New Orleans. He sold 10 to 1 in the pools.

Col. W. H. Dudderar sold 10 yearling mules to a Pennsylvania man at \$35 and one to Tom Rankin at \$50.

Besides winning a big sum with his trotters last season, Marcus Daly won over \$33,000 with his runners.

F. Reid delivered Saturday 22 of the cattle he recently sold to Simon Weihs at 4½c. They averaged 1,350.

Cogar & Davis have recently bought about 50,000 bushels of corn at from \$1.25 to \$1.50 delivered.—Advocate.

Buckawa broke the world's record of 24 miles at San Francisco Saturday by going the distance in 3:51. The former record was 3:56½.

Six stallions have each sired 100 or more standard performers—Electioneer, Nutwood, Red Wilkes, Onward, Alcantara and Pilot Medium.

F. D. Spotswood has sold a fine pair of fast road mares to Eastern parties for \$2,500. They can trot a 2:20 gait together.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

John H. Bright says he raised on 1 of an acre last year 15 barrels of corn, dead loads of pumpkins, 400 shocks of blade and 200 of top fodder, besides other minor things.

The Louisville Driving Park will change from the old style of three out of five to two out of three. Instead of a horse winning three heats, two will be all that will be necessary for the race.

The Tucker boys, Geo. and Tom, sold their yearling mules, about 30, to a Pennsylvania party a few days ago, at \$42.50; Geo. Cunningham, of Casey, 16 to same party at \$55.—Hustonsville Cor. Advocate.

Louisville has a new turf association, which will give a winter race meeting, to begin within a month and to continue until spring. A large force of men began work on the track and grand stand at River View Park yesterday, and the job is to be completed within three weeks.

## CONDITION OF THE NATIONAL BANK OF HUSTONVILLE, KY.,

At the close of business Dec. 31, 1898.

| RESOURCES:                      |              |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts             | \$110,388.78 |
| Overdrafts                      | 2,376.89     |
| U. S. 4 per cent. Bonds         | 12,500.00    |
| Furniture and Fixtures          | 500.00       |
| Due from U. S. Treasurer        | 562.50       |
| Due from Banks                  | 9,203.79     |
| Revenue Stamps                  | 74.86        |
| Cash                            | 12,248.70    |
|                                 | \$147,855.52 |
| LIABILITIES:                    |              |
| Capital Stock                   | \$50,000.00  |
| Surplus                         | 25,000.00    |
| National Bank Notes Outstanding | 10,750.00    |
| Tax Fund                        | 386.02       |
| Due Depositors                  | 56,161.93    |
| Notes and Bills Rediscounted    | 5,557.57     |
|                                 | \$147,855.52 |
| Gross Earnings last six months  | \$3,799.85   |
| DISTRIBUTED:                    |              |
| Expenses and taxes paid         | 1,413.83     |
| Dividend No. 30, 4 per cent.    | 2,900.00     |
| Balance carried tax fund        | 386.02       |
|                                 | \$3,799.85   |

J. W. HOCKER, Cashier.

## CONDITION OF Lincoln County National Bank, STANFORD, KY.,

At close of business Dec. 31, 1898.

| RESOURCES:                |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Bills                     | \$233,742.08 |
| Other Stocks              | 1,083.00     |
| U. S. Bonds               | 100,000.00   |
| Overdrafts                | 3,696.73     |
| Due from banks            | 14,229.39    |
| Premiums                  | 6,400.72     |
| Redemption fund           | 4,500.00     |
| Revenue Stamps            | 356.91       |
| Banking House             | 5,600.00     |
| Cash                      | 30,178.36    |
|                           | \$399,787.19 |
| LIABILITIES:              |              |
| Capital Stock             | \$100,000.00 |
| Surplus                   | 500.00       |
| Circulation               | 90,000.00    |
| Fund to pay taxes         | 1,995.68     |
| Individual Deposits       | 178,288.83   |
| Due to Banks              | 29,992.66    |
|                           | \$399,787.19 |
| Earnings                  | \$8,168.22   |
| DISTRIBUTED:              |              |
| Fund to pay taxes         | \$1,095.68   |
| Expenses                  | 2,751.38     |
| Surplus                   | 500.00       |
| Furniture & Fix. Ch'd off | 800.00       |
| Premium charged off       | 521.16       |
| Dividend No. 1            | 2,500.00     |
|                           | \$7,268.22   |

J. B. OWSELEY, Cashier.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF STANFORD, KY.,

At the Close of Business Dec. 31, 1898.

| RESOURCES:                        |              |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts               | \$169,994.59 |
| Stocks and bonds                  | 11,162.04    |
|                                   | \$181,066.63 |
| Overdrafts                        | 3,758.70     |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | \$1,000.00   |
| Premium on U. S. Bonds            | 1,667.50     |
| Banking House and Fixtures        | 9,200.00     |
| Other Real Estate                 | 1,572.00     |
| Due from banks                    | 17,384.55    |
| Revenue Stamps                    | 106.00       |
| Five per cent. fund               | 3,645.00     |
| Cash in Bank                      | 18,028.46    |
|                                   | \$317,428.84 |
| LIABILITIES:                      |              |
| Capital Stock                     | \$100,000.00 |
| Surplus                           | 17,300.00    |
| Undivided Profits                 | 200.68       |
| Circulation                       | 72,900.00    |
| Individual Deposits               | 126,359.77   |
| Fund to pay taxes                 | 295.89       |
| Other liabilities                 | 372.50       |
|                                   | \$317,428.84 |
| Earnings last six months          | \$7,217.47   |
| Earnings left over                | 300.00       |
|                                   | \$7,517.47   |
| DISPOSED OF AS FOLLOWS:           |              |
| 3 per cent. dividend              | \$3,000.00   |
| Carried to surplus                | 300.00       |
| Undivided profits left over       | 200.68       |
| Taxes paid                        | 1,762.64     |
| Other expenses                    | 2,250.15     |
|                                   | \$7,517.47   |

J. S. HOCKER, Pres.

## SKILL OF DOCTORS TESTED.

Fifteen Years of Suffering.

"I thought I should surely die."

When the stomach begins to fail in its duties, other organs speedily become affected in sympathy, and life is simply a burden almost unbearable. Indigestion and dyspepsia are so common that only the sufferer from these diseases knows the possibilities of misery that inhere in them. A typical example of the sufferings of the victim of indigestion is furnished in the case of John C. Fritchard. He went on for fifteen years, from bad to worse. In spite of doctors he grew constantly weaker, and thought he would die. He got well, however, and thus relates his experience:

"For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from indigestion in its worst forms. I tested the skill of many doctors, but grew worse and worse, until I became so weak I could not walk fifty yards without having to sit down and rest. My stomach, liver, and heart became affected, and I thought I would surely die. I tried Dr. J. C. Ayer's Pills and they helped me right away. I continued their use and am now entirely well. I don't know of anything that will so quickly relieve and cure the terrible sufferings of dyspepsia as Dr. Ayer's Pills."—JOHN C. FRITCHARD, Brodie, Warren Co., N. C.

This case is not extraordinary, either in the severity of the disease or the prompt and perfect cure performed by Dr. Ayer's Pills. Similar results occur in every case where Dr. Ayer's Pills are used. "They helped me right away" is the common expression of those who have used them. Here is another testimony to the truth of this statement:

"I formerly suffered from indigestion and weakness of the stomach, but since I began the use of Dr. J. C. Ayer's Pills, I have the appetite of the farmer's boy. I am 45 years of age, and recommend all who wish to be free from dyspepsia to take one of Dr. Ayer's Pills after dinner until their digestive organs are in good order."—Wm. STRAIN, Grant, Neb.

Dr. Ayer's Pills offer the surest and swiftest relief from constipation and all its attendant ills. They cure dyspepsia, nausea, heartburn, palpitation, bad breath, coated tongue, nervousness, sleeplessness, biliousness, and a score of other affections that are, after all, only the signs of a more deep rooted disease. You can find more information about Dr. Ayer's Pills, and the diseases they have cured, in Ayer's Cure book, a story of cures told by the cured. This book of 100 pages is sent free, on request, by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

## The Louisville Store's

—Annual—

## New Year's Greeting!

To our thousands of friends and patrons.

We have just finished invoicing our big stock of goods and in order to keep up

## The Busy Hum Of Business!

Through the usually dull month of January in going through the stock we threw out a lot of Big

## BARGAINS.

In Short Length

Dress Goods, Outings, Table Linens, Gingham, Hose, Comforts, Blankets, Ladies Cloaks

And Capes, Men's, Ladies' and Children's

## SHOES!

Men's and Boys' Clothing and Overcoats. Come while they last. \$1 will buy \$2 worth of goods.

## The Louisville Store.

T. D. RANEY, Manager.

Branch stores at Paris, Carlisle, Mt. Sterling, Bardstown, Lawrenceburg, Cynthiana, Versailles, Eminence, Georgetown, Elizabethtown, Frankfort, Mauckport, Ind.

## I Don't Want To Sue

You but will do so

## If You Don't Pay Me.

This means YOU if you owe me.

MARK HARDIN.

—BUY YOUR—

## Candies, Fruits, Nuts,

Oranges, Bananas, Cakes, Crackers,

Chamber Sets, Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Coal Vases,

Lamps, &c., at Rock Bottom Cash Prices only at

HIGGINS & MCKINNEY'S.



YOUR doctor gives you the right prescription, but unless it is properly filled, you can't reasonably expect good results. It is always accurately prepared and of the very best materials at Penny's Drug Store.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIETY GOSSIP.

Mrs. J. CARROLL BAILEY has been quite sick.

JOHN A. WALLACE, of Lebanon, is visiting his parents.

M. G. REYNOLDS has qualified as deputy sheriff again.

G. B. COOPER had his feet frosted while out hunting Saturday.

Mrs. LEE WEBB, of Louisville, was the guest of Miss Susie Lasley.

JOHN H. MEIER spent several days with R. Zimmer at Richmond.

MISS CATHERINE BAUGHMAN left yesterday to enter college at Hollins, Va.

MR. AND MRS. J. S. FEED went to Louisville Saturday to remain a few days.

MISS NAN SMITH, of Sherman, Texas, is the guest of Miss Mattie Menefee.

MISS ELLEN BALLOU, of the College, spent her Christmas in Cincinnati.

Mrs. FRED CURTIS and children, of Somerset, are visiting relatives in this county.

MISS KATIE SALLER, of Harrodsburg, spent several days with Miss Anna Cook.

MISS BEULAH GRIMES, of Garrard, is the guest of Miss Mary Cook, at Cook's Springs.

LITTLE EDWIN AND MORRIS DAVIS, of Lexington, spent Christmas with Mrs. John A. Allen.

JUDGE M. C. SAUFLEY went to Cincinnati yesterday to argue a case before the U. S. court.

MESDAMES GEORGE P. BRIGHT and C. H. Yeager, of the Hubble section, are down with the grip.

MISS NANNETTE HEATH, of Richmond, is down to see her new nephew at Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Severance's.

MISS LUCY PENNINGTON, of Crab Orchard, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Sam D. Young.—Nicholasville Journal.

CASEY OWSEY, ESQ., has gone to Lexington to practice law and is boarding with the Misses Spurr on Short street.

MISS ETTA BELLE ROOT very charmingly entertained about 40 of her friends at her home near Turnersville Friday night.

C. B. OWENS went to Harrodsburg Friday to attend the hop there that night. George C. Keller, Jr., went also to see his parents.

Mrs. J. B. OWSLEY has returned from a visit to her son, John W. Pennington, who has so far recovered that he will return in a few days.

THE Somerset Paragon says that Mr. F. J. Campbell and family have moved to that place and that Mr. Campbell and son, Claire, will go in the grocery business.

PETER STRAUB, JR., and bride returned from their bridal tour Sunday. They will go to housekeeping in a few days in the house now occupied by Rev. R. R. Noel.

MR. AND MRS. J. F. WALTON have traded their property at Crescent Springs for a residence on Edgar street, Cincinnati, where Mr. Walton is in business.

LE ROWAN SAUFLEY has beaten his sword into a composing stick and is back at his old place in this office. Shelton M. Saufley, who has been filling it, will attend school.

BORN to the wife of T. C. Rankin, a boy; to the wife of George Lawrence, a girl, and to Mrs. Walter Warren, a boy. The two latter are grandchildren of Mr. Silas Anderson.

MR. GEO. H. BRUCE, of Danville, was here Saturday. He has had a most advantageous offer to become a partner in the Rubber Goods house at Brockton, Mass., for which he has been traveling and will likely accept it.

MR. C. L. DAWES has moved his family to the McRoberts house on Somerset Avenue, where his wife's grandfather lived over 70 years ago. Mrs. Annie McClary will occupy the house on East Main street he vacated.

MISS JULIA HIGGINS and Mary Little, of Richmond, accompanied by Miss Sue McRoberts, of Danville, will go first to Culpepper, Va., thence to Richmond, Va., Washington, Baltimore and New York. They will be absent several weeks.

MISS JOSEPHINE REID gave a handsome breakfast yesterday morning at which covers were laid for 12. It was one of the most elegant affairs of the kind given in Danville in a long time. Miss Virginia Bowman entertained at breakfast today in honor of Mrs. L. H. McHenry, of Louisville.—Danville Advocate.

In its write up of a dance there last week, the Mt. Sterling Democrat has this: Miss Christine Bradley, the lovely daughter of Kentucky's governor, always handsome, bright and attractive, was never more so than on this occasion, tastefully gowned in Nile green brocade satin, beaver trimmings and diamonds—American Beauty roses.

DR. R. GOLDSTEIN, the optician, will be at the St. Asaph today.

MR. G. A. MCROBERTS and Miss Bessie Burnside, Mr. L. L. Doty and Miss Susan Fisher Woods, Mr. J. W. Rout and Miss Jessie Cook joined the Lancaster people in their special car and attended the hop at Crab Orchard Springs last night.

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

WINDOW lights, putty, etc., at Craig & Hocker's.

TWO nice rooms over our stable for rent. Beazley Bros.

Big lot of Oliver plows just received at Higgins & McKinney's.

SOLD.—Rockcastle Springs have been sold to Cincinnati parties.

THE CASH system is very satisfactory and it will be my terms for 1899. W. B. McRoberts.

THE bird law is again in force and woe be unto him who kills or traps quail, partridges or pheasants.

YOUR account at Beazley Bros' stable is ready for you. Please don't make it necessary for us to call on you, but pay it at once.

I NEED what you owe me and hope you will not postpone further the payment of your account. This means you. H. C. Rupley.

THE Lincoln County National patriotically observed the day, but the First National and the post-office kept open house yesterday.

THERE were dozens of applicants for the money advertised in last issue and this is to notify others who think of applying that it is all loaned.

WILL MCKINNEY, a McKinney Negro was fined \$10 and costs by Squire Coffey at McKinney Saturday for drawing a razor on Arthur Singleton.

THE St. Asaph Hotel will be run this year under the same management—Farris & Hardin, the report that they had dissolved partnership being untrue.

C. C. SMITH, who was refused distiller's license last court to sell whisky near McKinney, has posted notices stating that he will make another application next Monday.

BRADFORDSVILLE, in Marion county, with a population of 500, has not a single Negro—not even a colored cook. There isn't a colored family living within half a mile of the town.

A. G. EASTLAND, special agent for the Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York, is placing his friends under obligations by presenting them with handsome calendars, diaries and other useful articles to keep and measure time.

YOUNG.—William P. Young, son of J. B. Young, died at his home near Highland Sunday morning of consumption, aged 25. He was a healthy young man until a recent spell with measles, during which he caught a deep cold which developed into consumption. His remains were laid to rest in Mt. Moriah burying ground yesterday.

HELD.—Ed Summers, Negro, charged with breaking into and stealing money, watches and a pistol from Columbus Wheeler's house, was tried before Squire W. A. Coffey at McKinney Saturday and held in \$200 bail. He could not give it and Deputy Sheriff D. H. C. Peyton brought him back to jail. The pistol was found on the Negro.

CHRISTMAS passed without an entertainment, except the kid masquerade at Mayor Menefee's, and the old people agree with the young people that it was the quietest and dullest on record. There wasn't even a fight to enliven the days and after the terrific use of explosives and fireworks Christmas Eve everybody and everything resumed the even tenor of their way.

K OF P.—Diadem Lodge, No. 81, Knights of Pythias, elected the following officers at its meeting Thursday night: Chancellor Commander, John H. Meier; Vice Chancellor, Greenberry Bright; Prelate, A. H. Severance; Master of Work, Dr. A. S. Price; Keeper of Records and Seal and Master of Finance, Jesse D. Wearen; Master of Exchequer, Dr. W. B. O'Bannon; Master at Arms, J. W. Rout. J. S. Rice was elected trustee to succeed W. F. Sheridan. A banquet is talked of in the near future.

THE entertainment given by Dr. W. D. Tardiff's school, assisted by a few outsiders, at Walton's Opera House Friday night was, like all his previous efforts, good. The heavy rain kept a great many away and as a consequence the sum which will go to the new public school building will be a rather small one. The program consisted of choruses, recitations, solos and drills, all of which were creditably rendered, especially "The Indian Huntresses" and "The Clown's Born" drills. The music, which was good, was furnished by Miss Mattie J. Miller, of Richmond, who has assisted in numerous entertainments of a like nature here. The rendition of "The Maniac" by Miss Annie May Stewart was loudly applauded as was the solo of Miss Mollie B. Givens.

JUST received a full stock flooring, ceiling and finishing. A. C. Sine.

THERE is no excuse to claim that the 1st of January is a holiday, say the best of lawyers.

BIG LAND SALE.—Hon. G. A. Lackey has sold his farm of 340 acres on the Danville pike to Sam H. Shanks for \$55.

ANNIE BUCKNER, daughter of Scott Buckner, colored, died last week of consumption. She attended school at Frankfort and was a well-educated, good girl.

BURNED OUT.—L. H. Ramsey & Co., sign writers, were burned out lock, stock and barrel at Lexington, but were in the ring again next day and ready for work.

I WILL be here all this week, but will leave Monday, Jan. 9, for Winchester. You are cordially invited to call this week and have your work done. A. J. Earp, photographer.

THE Queen & Crescent route announces that beginning with the year round-trip tickets will be sold at the rate of one fare for the round-trip, every Sunday between local stations on that line.

FOR POINTING A GUN.—John Randall, a young white married man, was fined by Squire Coffey \$50 for pointing a gun at a boy. He could not pay and is working it out at \$1 day and putting in his nights in jail.

THE MYERS HOUSE.—It is now Mine Hon. E. H. Beazley, he having rented and taken charge of the Myers House. His sister, Mrs. Pattie Hays, will see to the culinary and domestic departments and together they should do well.

DON'T use revenue stamps on letters. A letter to this office a few days since was stamped with one and we were compelled to pay 4c to get it—that being the penalty provided, which unfortunately comes off of the person who receives it, instead of the one who sends the letter.

HUSTONVILLE was the liveliest town in this section last week. Besides the public entertainment at the Presbyterian church there were parties at J. W. Hocker's, V. B. Morse's, H. R. Camnitz' and Miss Camille Hopper's. They were all largely attended and the young folks did lots of courting.

ESTIMATES THE SAME.—Messrs. A. C. Sine and John A. Allen have been figuring on Dr. Ed Alcorn's proposed brick business building in Hustonville and strange to say their figures were the same to a copper. The building will cost in the neighborhood of \$5,000 and it is hoped the doctor will order it put up at once. Either of the above gentlemen will do a first class job.

THE mercury began to crowd down Saturday, when it was up in the 50s and a raging snow storm set in. It grew colder and colder till the new year made its debut with the earth covered with a three inch snow and the thermometer registering 4 below zero. It did not materially moderate Sunday although the sun shone in a cloudless sky and yesterday at 6 A. M. the mercury was at zero. The frost and snow on the trees presented a scene of surpassing beauty, which, however, only those who saw it from the window, of a well-heated room, could fully enjoy. It was clear and got some warmer during the day, but it was a legal holiday and the signal service took advantage of it and gave us no prediction.

FIRE THE CALABOOSE.—Eph Payne, of Crab Orchard, got on a tear Friday afternoon and after standing him as long as he could, Marshal J. A. Shan non ran him into the log structure there, called by courtesy, a jail. He hadn't been in there long before he set fire to it and the blaze was climbing into the rafters, when he was discovered and put out. Payne didn't make anything by the performance, however, for the marshal loaded him into a vehicle, and bad night as it was, brought him to jail here, where he remained till yesterday, when he was taken before Judge Carson, who held him in \$100 bail. The offense of attempting to destroy public property is a serious one and as it is Payne's second attempt, it is likely to go hard with him.

THE Lincoln County National, Dr. J. B. Owsley, cashier, earned \$8,168.22 the last six months, out of which a dividend of 24 per cent. was declared, \$500 carried to surplus and the rest applied to the payment of taxes and other expenses.

The gross earnings of the First National Bank of Stanford, J. S. Hocker, president; J. J. McRoberts, cashier, and A. A. McKinney, assistant cashier, for the six months were \$7,212.05, out of which was paid the usual semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent. and paid all the taxes and expenses and carried \$300 to surplus fund.

THE Hustonville National Bank, Dr. Ed Alcorn, president, and J. W. Hocker, cashier, made 44 per cent. net for the six months and declared a dividend of 4 per cent. The bank is in a most healthy condition. Its capital stock is \$50,000, its surplus \$25,000, its deposits \$56,161.93 and its loans and discounts \$110,388.78.

HURT.—Welch Rochester fell from the loft of Dr. J. B. Owsley's barn Saturday afternoon and received an ugly cut on the left cheek. He was unconscious when found, but soon regained and is now doing well.

THE Crab Orchard Springs Keeley Cure franchise suit was on trial again yesterday before Judge Bailey, having been continued from last month. Messrs. G. C. Webster and Gus Hoffmann are on hand and watching the result with great interest.

TO TAXPAYERS.—Owing to the severe winter and in response to appeals, I have decided to defer the advertisement of delinquents till next month, when I can wait no longer. Show that you appreciate this by paying me at once. S. M. Owens, sheriff.

WORSE AND WORSE.—The change in the schedule which went into effect Sunday, only affects No. 25, which now leaves Louisville at 9:20 P. M. and gets here at 1:02 A. M. To go to Louisville now and return the same day, a man will have to be up the full 24 hours.

THE supervisors of the tax list are in session to raise your assessment if possible and reduce it if they can't help it. They are Messrs. J. H. McAllister, T. J. Robinson, T. M. Holmes, S. P. Gooch and W. T. Tucker. The total assessments of the property in the county is \$4,360,100, which is much less than last year.

FIGHT.—Town Marshal Palestine Rogers, of Rowland, and John Barnett had a fight over a trivial affair during the holidays when both were considerably used up, Rogers using a pistol and Barnett a weight to beat each other with. They were tried before "Prom" Judge Darst, when the marshal caught a \$30 fine with costs. Barnett was acquitted.

FOR AUDITOR.—Dr. W. F. Phillips, who was elected on the democratic ticket for superintendent of schools, in Clay, by a majority of 412, although that county gave McKinley 1,050 majority, is here, the guest of his father-in-law, W. H. Johnson. Dr. Phillips has yielded to appeals to become a candidate for State auditor and judging from the many letters he has from leading democrats, he has a good show to win the nomination. He is well qualified and his election in a strong republican county shows his popularity.

IN its write-up of the Transylvania University Centennial, the Lexington Herald says: The first convention held in Kentucky was in 1783. The establishment of Transylvania Seminary was in 1783. That convention was called as a military act by Colonel Logan and consisted of one representative from every military company. The first convention elected by the people was in 1784. The Seminary during that year was put into successful operation, and in 1785 was actually opened under the supervision of David Rice in Lincoln county at Crow's Station.

## RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

Rev. Wm. Davison is holding a meeting at Lynn's school-house that will last all week.

Revs. Johnson, Sprinkles and Davison are conducting a warm sanctification meeting at Rowland.

Rev. S. M. Rankin will preach at Middlesboro Sunday and Rev. W. C. Roberts, of Danville, will fill his pulpit here.

This is the centennial year of the Baptist church at Somerset and during the summer a big celebration will be held.

The Rev. Wm. Crow, of the Presbyterian church, is being urged by the democrats to make the race for the Legislature in Madison county.

An Ohio judge decides that christian scientists can not be prosecuted under the law against unlicensed doctors practicing, because no drugs or medicines are used.

President Snow, of the Mormon church, Salt Lake City, claims there have been no plural marriages in the church since 1890, because it is also entirely forbidden by its decrees.

A New York woman admirer of the Pope sent him a gold snuff box incrustated with superb diamonds, made by one of the best jewelers of Rome, as a New Year's offering, together with a check for \$50,000.

Mrs. Ruth Houston, of Huntington, W. Va., hopelessly ill of consumption was at her request, taken to the Ohio on a couch and immersed in the presence of 500 people who shivered to see her enter the ice cold water. After the ordeal she said she felt much better.

Rev. Ira Partin, of the Baptist church, tells us that in three years he has held 13 revivals which resulted in 287 additions by experience and baptism and fully 100 by letter. During the time he organized churches at Harmony in Garrard and Mt. Hebron and Hall's Gap in Lincoln county.

The largest Union depot in the world has just been completed at Boston at a cost of \$14,000,000. The roof of the shed alone covers 144 acres, under which there are 15 miles of track and 30 of rail. There are 698 switches in it and 32 express trains can unload at once.

JOURNAL.  
Room Making Sale

The month of January will be devoted to weeding out odds and ends of our large stock.

Winter Underwear,  
Boots, Shoes,  
Overcoats, Cloaks,  
Flannels, &c., &c.,

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Less Than Cost to Produce!

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The development of the Wayne and Pulaski county Kentucky oil fields is assuming the proportions of a small boom.

Henderson, Ky., during the year just closed made the remarkable record of a fire loss of only \$12,398, with insurance of \$10,895 paid.

Minneapolis suffered two elevator fires in as many days. The last had 200,000 bushels in it and the loss with the structure is \$200,000.

The notorious "barrel house," and a house adjoining, which was owned by Chief of Police Ball, were destroyed by fire at Middlesboro.

Burrell Moore and Miss Ada Cornelison and Charles Tribble and Miss Catherine Lewis were married in Madison.

Policeman J. H. Crane, of Lexington, was acquitted for shooting and killing Rastus Bradford, while the latter was stealing coal from a Southern Railway car.

The Cincinnati Transfer Co. bought a mule the other day but three-years-old that measured 18 hands and one inch high. He weighed 1,445 pounds. This is said to be the largest mule in America.

Mrs. Cordelia Botkin, who sent poisoned candy to Mrs. John P. Dunning, of Dover, Del., in order to get rid of her so that she could claim her husband, and succeeded in killing her and another lady, was sentenced for life by a San Francisco jury.

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ly tent in all the vast encampment. The tent belonged to a stray sutler who was here by means the details of which are not necessary to this record. With the sutler as his wife, a husky woman who was physically the superior of her husband. This canvas abode and shop was kept comfortable by means of a sheet iron stove, and in

And me, John?"

Oh, you and the others will be there, if  
promise not to fetch any hair-fixin's!"

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sday in January, 1899, for the purpose of  
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